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SEAN O'CLAIR, et al.	) Group Art Unit: Unknown
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on COMPACT LOCKING BLOCK	)
FOR SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOLS	)
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby submits a Preliminary Amendment including a substitute specification, drawing amendments and claim amendments. Applicant respectfully requests that the present Preliminary Amendment be entered in the pending case.